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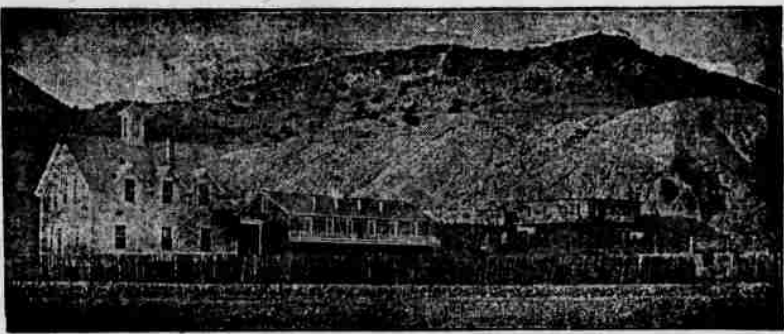
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TERRIFIC EXPLOSION

Igniting Coal Dust After a Blast Wrecks An Indian Territory Coal Mine.

28 DEAD AND BURIED ALIVE

As the Subways Are Torn Asunder There Is Little Expectation of Rescuing the Entombed Miners—The Mine on Fire.

Poteau, I. T., Dec. 13.—At 9 o'clock last night, in mine No. 2, of the Indianola and Railway Coal Company, three miles from this place, a terrific explosion took place. Five men are known to have lost their lives, and about 23 more are buried alive.

The explosion was caused by coal dust igniting after a blast. The timber work of the hoist was blown into the air and the shattered remains immediately caught fire. Over 100 men were in the mine at the time of the explosion, and only about half have been accounted for. Those who escaped were employed in another part of the mine. There seems to be little hope of rescuing the entombed miners as the explosion literally rent the subways asunder, and there are hundreds of tons of earth to be taken away before they can be reached. One hundred men are working valiantly to rescue their comrades. They are driven away at times by the intense heat. So it is probable the interior of the mine also is burning. It is impossible to ascertain the names of those who have been killed and are buried in the mine.

NOT SO BAD AFTER ALL. St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 13.—A late special from Fort Smith says that only two men were killed in the Witteville coal mines near Poteau, I. T., last night. It is believed they were the only men in the mine. They were shot from breaking coal for the next day's work. The mouth of the mine is blocked by the fall of rock loosened by the blast.

A HEAVY SENTENCE.

Ex-President Marsh, of the Keystone Bank, Is Finding That Honesty Is the Best Policy.

Philadelphia, Dec. 13.—Gideon W. Marsh, president of the wrecked Keystone National bank, was sentenced today by Judge Butler, of the United States district court, to 12 years and three months imprisonment and a fine of \$500. Marsh was charged with conspiracy in making false entries in his books and making false reports to the comptroller. It was thought probable Marsh might implicate others in the crime, but he meekly informed the court that his predecessor in the presidency of the bank had left a defalcation of over \$1,000,000, and that he never profited a dollar through the bank's losses.

High Mass Over Garcia.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Solemn high mass was sung in the Catholic church over the remains of General Calixto Garcia, in St. Patrick's church, today, before the body of the distinguished Cuban leader was placed in the vault at the Arlington national cemetery. The service was notable for the distinguished gathering present. The honorary pall bearers were Generals Miles, Lawton, Wheeler and Shafter and Senators Thurston, Proctor, Mason and Money. The sermon was by Most Rev. John Ireland.

LABOR CONVENTION.

American Federation of Labor Asks Government Custom Be Given to Garment Workers' Union Instead of to Sweat Shops.

Kansas City, Dec. 13.—In the Association of the American Federation of Labor today a flood of resolutions were introduced. One resolution of particular interest was that offered by Delegate Samuel Butler, general treasurer of the National Garment Workers' Union. It called upon the United States government to give its clothing to union shops for manufacture instead of to sweat shops. A telegram was sent at once to Washington making the request. James O'Connell, grand master of the Machinists' Union, offered a resolution giving machinists jurisdiction over all men employed mechanically in the care of linotype machines.

Pushing the Reorganization.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The adjutant general's office was well represented today at the hearing before the house committee on military affairs relative to increasing the army. General Schwan detailed the organization of the army under the plan proposed by the bill, which has the indorsement of the secretary of war. The total strength of officers would be 3,721 to 96,797 enlisted men, a grand total of 100,518 men.

Pinar Del Rio Garrisoned.

Pinar del Rio, Cuba, Dec. 13.—General Davis and a battalion of 400 men from the 202d New York regiment have arrived from Havana, and were greeted at the railroad station by almost the entire population. The ceremony of formally raising the stars and stripes over the city hall will take place today.

DEADLY SNEEZES.

Five Deaths at Butte, Mont., Due to the Deadly Nuisance, and People Are Up in Arms About It.

Butte, Mont., Dec. 13.—Five deaths occurred at Butte, due, it is said, to the sulphur-arsenic fumes from the smelters. Many people are leaving and a mass meeting is called for tonight to take steps against the deadly nuisance. It is feared violence may result.

SHERIFF OF TAOS COUNTY KILLED.

Telegram Received Requesting Officers to Arrest Albert Gifford, Wanted for Killing Luciano Trujillo Last Night.

This afternoon Sheriff Kinsell received a telegram from Taos requesting him to be on the watch for Albert Gifford, who killed Luciano Trujillo, sheriff of Taos county, last night in Taos, and is supposed to be headed for this city. No particulars of the affair have been received. Gifford is a young man of about 21 years of age, has several friends and acquaintances in this city, and the supposition is that he is coming here to give himself up to Sheriff Kinsell. The young man has always borne an excellent reputation, is strictly sober, attends to his own business and his friends are of the opinion that there was provocation for the act.

GENERAL BROOKE CHOSEN.

He Will Be the First Military Governor of Cuba with Both Civil and Military Jurisdiction.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Major General Brooke arrived in Washington today, when it was formally announced that the president had designated him as military governor of Cuba. The new post carries a control over both the military and civil branches of the island formerly exercised by Spanish captains general. Each of the six provinces will have a military governor.

HE WOULD WRECK THE ROAD.

But Watchful Bank Officers Have Haled Him into the United States Courts to Answer.

Toledo, O., Dec. 13.—The Merchants National Bank of Baltimore has commenced a sensational suit in the United States court against the Ann Arbor railroad and the Toledo, St. Louis & Western R. R. The bank alleges that while Burt was receiver of the road, through fraud and gross deceit, he received an order of foreclosure and sale and formed a syndicate to buy in the property valued at \$10,000,000 for \$2,000,000. The petition avers that Burt formed a syndicate to buy the bonds and then sold them at a big advance. It asks the court to vacate the order of foreclosure and sale.

MARKET REPORT.

New York, Dec. 13.—Money on call nominally 2 1/4 @ 2 1/2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3 1/4 @ 4. Silver, 93 1/2; lead, 93 1/2. Chicago.—Wheat, Dec., 64 1/2 @ 64 1/2; May, 65 1/2 @ 66. Corn, Dec., 33 1/2; May, 34 1/2. Oats, Dec., 26 1/2; May, 26 1/2. Chicago.—Cattle, receipts, 3,000; steady; beefs, \$2.00 @ \$3.00; cows and heifers, \$2.00 @ \$3.00; Texas steers, \$3.00 @ \$4.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.00 @ \$3.00. Sheep, 7,000; steady; natives, \$2.50 @ \$4.20; westerns, \$3.00 @ \$4.20; lambs, \$3.75 @ \$5.30. Kansas City.—Cattle, receipts, 9,000; steady to strong; native steers, \$3.00 @ \$6.00; Texas steers, \$3.00 @ \$4.65; Texas cows, \$2.00 @ \$3.45; native cows and heifers, \$1.35 @ \$3.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 @ \$4.25; bulls, \$2.00 @ \$3.25. Sheep, 3,000; firm; lambs, \$3.35 @ \$6.40; muttons, \$2.00 @ \$4.35.

SANTA FE RAILROAD STOCKHOLDERS

Approve of Branch Line Purchase—President Ripley Will Abandon All Unprofitable Properties.

Topeka, Kan., Dec. 13.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Santa Fe railway, the purchase of all branch lines operated by the company, excepting those incorporated under the title of "Chicago, Kansas & Western railroad," was approved. President Ripley has decided to abandon every mile of unprofitable track. Some Chicago, Kansas and western lines have been abandoned altogether, while the mileage of others will be curtailed. The Chicago, Kansas & Western railroad includes 912 miles of track, and comprises 12 or 15 branch lines built during the Kansas boom.

VOLUNTEERS DON'T KNOW

How to Cook or Use Rations—Commissary General Eagan Tells the Investigating Committee What Should Be Done.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Commissary General Eagan, of the War department, appeared before the war investigating commission today. He urged that the subsistence department have control of the transportation of all supplies and furnishing the means of cooking, as the quartermaster general's department was over-burdened with duties innumerable.

He spoke of the urgent importunities, which sometimes amounted to persecution, that various articles of food be added to the regular rations. He favored furnishing beer to soldiers, and referring to the ignorance of volunteers as to rations, General Eagan said there should be one commissary sergeant with each regiment to instruct others as to the use and extent of rations.

Forlorn Delusive Hope.

Madrid, Dec. 13.—It is asserted Premier Sagasta will obtain a royal decree dissolving the chambers before ratification of the peace treaty, also that owing to opposition to the treaty the United States senate will not confirm it.

Snow Showers Killed.

Buffalo, Dec. 13.—Seven Italian snow shovelers were killed and several others injured on the New York Central railroad near Crittenden today. They were struck by a freight train.

Keeping Order in Havana.

Havana, Dec. 13.—The city is quiet today. A proclamation of Captain General Castellanos, providing for maintenance of order is strictly enforced. The cafes in the disturbed districts were closed at six o'clock last night, and the places of amusement were not opened and guards were stationed about the hotel Englaterra and adjacent streets.

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CONGRESSIONAL

The Senate Takes Up Today the Nicaragua Canal Legislation in Earnest.

UNITED STATES PROTECTED

House Calls for Information As to Garisoning of Cuban Provinces; Also As to Outrages on American Missionaries.

Washington, Dec. 13.—In the senate today Senator Berry gave notice of an amendment he will offer to the Nicaragua canal bill providing for a direct appropriation of money for the construction of the canal, and limiting the cost to \$115,000,000. The amendment provides for the construction of the canal by the Maritime Canal Company, which gives the government a lien upon the property to be foreclosed under circumstances fully enumerated. Senator Berry stated that one object was to eliminate the bond features. Another was to deprive the Maritime Canal Company of any shares of stock, as in the present bill, leaving the United States, Nicaragua and Costa Rica the only stockholders. Senator Ravins also gave notice of amendment to the Nicaragua bill, providing the act should not go into effect until the United States should secure by treaty the right to fortify and garrison the canal, and send armed vessels and munitions of war through it in time of war and close it against any other nation with whom the United States may be at war. Senator Merrill addressed the senate on a bill authorizing the purchase of a site east of the capitol grounds for a building for the supreme court. The bill passed.

IN THE HOUSE.

When the house met today the previous question had been ordered on the passage of the bill to amend the laws relating to shipping seasons. The bill passed. On motion of Mr. Hay, Democrat, of Virginia, a resolution was adopted calling upon the secretary of war for information as to what towns in Puerto Rico, Cuba and the Philippines must be garrisoned, how many troops are necessary and how many soldiers are needed for the United States proper. A resolution was adopted calling upon the secretary of state for information as to the alleged outrage upon Methodist Bishop Earl Cranston at Peking, China, in September last, and what, if any, steps were taken to secure suitable redress. The house then went into committee of the whole and took up the district appropriation bill.

President Gone South.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The president and party left Washington this afternoon for a week's trip through the south, the primary object being to attend the peace jubilee at Atlanta, Ga.

Cabinet Officer Will Resign.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Secretary Bliss will resign to devote more time to his large business interests.

Vessels Ordered To Havana.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The war ships Brooklyn, Texas, Costine and Resolute have been ordered to Havana.



If it was only health, we might let it cling. But it is a cough. One cold no sooner passes off before another comes. But it's the same old cough all the time. And it's the same old story, too. There is first the cold, then the cough, then pneumonia or consumption with the long sickness, and life trembling in the balance.

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SANTA FE COUNTY DISTRICT COURT.

Grand Jury Empanelled and Instructed—Criminal Docket Called—Appointments by the Court—New Cases—Hearings in Chambers.

In the district court for Santa Fe county, which convened yesterday morning, the jurors were not called until late this morning, a special venire for the petit jury being necessary before the required number was secured.

The grand jury, consisting of S. G. Cartwright, foreman, Candelario Garundo, Hipolito Dominguez, Camillo Padilla Segundo, Manuel Griego, Max Bernstein, Elias Gonzales, Eugenio Gonzales, Luciano Campano, Emilio Larralago, Jose N. Sena, Melquiades Martinez, Labor Larraribes, Desiderio Martinez, Jose de la Cruz Fresquez, Jesus Herrera, Ignacio Sena, Juan de Dios Tapia and George Valdez, was empaneled and instructed by Judge McFie this morning, and at once took up the business brought before it.

The court was organized with the following appointments: Alex. Read, interpreter for the court; W. J. McPherson, stenographer; Jesus Gonzales, interpreter for the grand jury; Antonio Alarid, Luis Baca, Margarito Chavez and Gregorio Herrera, bailiffs.

The judge called the criminal docket, of 33 cases, among which are four for flourishing and discharging dangerous weapons, four for murder, eight for larceny and eight for assault, this morning, and announced that the civil docket, containing 212 cases, would be called immediately upon the convening of the court tomorrow morning.

NEW CASES FILED.

In the district court for Santa Fe county the following cases have been filed:

Ricardo Alarid vs. Matias Martinez, appeal from justices of the peace; action to recover damages in the sum of \$15. C. Martinez and A. B. Renahan for plaintiff.

Paul Wunschmann vs. Charles Harpell; action to recover damages in the sum of \$455.50. N. B. Laughlin attorney for the plaintiff.

Jake Gold vs. Julian Padilla; action in attachment to recover the sum of \$99 for money loaned and on account. Geo. W. Knaebel attorney for defendant.

HEARING IN CHAMBERS.

Yesterday afternoon Judge McFie heard the demurrer filed by the defendant in the case of Max Frost vs. The Las Vegas Publishing Company; libel. The defendant's attorneys begged leave to withdraw the demurrer, which was

granted and were allowed ten days within which to file an answer. R. E. Twitchell and Chas. A. Spess attorneys for the plaintiff. A. A. Jones and O. A. Larralago for the defendant.

This afternoon the hearing of the case of Nicola Demato vs. George W. North, mechanic's lien and injunction, begun yesterday, was continued. George P. Money appearing for the plaintiff and C. A. Spess for the defendant.

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